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Serial No.	09/830,145	Art U <sub>1</sub> 2863	HIL	
Filing Date:	April 20, 2001	) }		
For:	DETERMINING MEAT QUALITY OF A LIVE ANIMAL)		•	
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## TRANSMITTAL FOR AMENDMENT "A" AND RESPONSE

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment "A" and Response for entry in the above-identified application.

 Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has b	een
established by a verified statement previously submitted.	

 To secure the	approval	of the	Examiner	for	proposed	amendments	to	the
drawings, enclo	sed are the	followi	ng:					

		Letter to the Official Draftsperson;			
		Set of () sheets of drawings containing Figures including the proposed amendments therein; and			
		A duplicate set of the () sheets of drawings with the changes therein highlighted in red.			
<u>X</u>	To render the transmitted Amendment "A" and Response timely filed enclosed are the following:				
	<u>X</u>	Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time; and			
	<u>X</u>	Form PTO-2038 submitting Credit Card Payment in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the fee for the extension of time.			
<u>X</u>	A Cer	tificate of Express Mail Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10.			
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- X Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- X A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Dated this 30<sup>th</sup> day of May 2003.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that the following documents are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as Express Mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop AMENDMENT – FEE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of May 2003.

- Transmittal Letter (3 pages) (in duplicate)
- Amendment "A" and Response ( pages)
- Form PTO-2038 submitting Credit Card Payment in the amount of \$110

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Respectfully submitted,

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